

FACULTY AFFILIATION AGREEMENT

Mary Ann Swetland Center for Environmental Health
Case Western Reserve University, School of Medicine, Department of Population & Quantitative Health Sciences

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The [Mary Ann Swetland Center for Environmental Health](#) is seeking to grow its network of affiliated faculty from across a variety of disciplines to further its mission to investigate the complex interplay between the environment and health. The center uses a community-engaged research approach working alongside our community partners to translate these findings into policies and practices that promote healthy places for people to thrive.

The strategic vision of the Swetland Center is to innovate and apply community systems science to advance environmental health equity by:

- Advancing translational environmental health research.
- Integrating environmental health and community systems science into medical and graduate education.
- Engaging the community in environmental health research and action.

Achievement of this vision requires partnerships with other faculty to expand the impact of our collective efforts.

To apply to become a Faculty Affiliate of the Mary Ann Swetland Center for Environmental Health, complete the Faculty Affiliation Agreement, provide a copy of your current CV or resume, a brief summary of your research interests related to environmental health, and a picture to be posted on the Swetland Center website. Applications are received and reviewed on a rolling basis for a two-year term with the option of renewal. Applicants will be notified of their status within one month of submission.

For additional questions/information please contact: Rachael Sommer, LISW, MSSA, Director of Operations & Partnerships, 216-368-5774, ras333@case.edu.

The conditions and limitations of the Affiliate Faculty Appointment with the Mary Ann Swetland Center for Environmental Health are as follows:

1. Faculty Affiliate is expected to be an active member and contributor to the center by engaging in two or more of the following activities during the **2-year term** of appointment:
 - a. Provide technical expertise to further center activities via one or more of the center cores: Research, Training & Education, and Community Engagement.
 - b. Presentation of at least one formal lecture, seminar, and/or professional development offering at an event organized by the center.
 - c. Serve as an investigator, consultant, or advisor on center initiatives.
 - d. Contribute to the dissemination of center research and activities such as sharing findings through networks, hosting faculty and staff for presentations, and/or co-authoring research papers.
 - e. Serve on the center advisory board.
2. The Swetland Center is committed to furthering the work of its Faculty Affiliates by:
 - a. Providing space for meetings when possible.

- b. Providing opportunities for professional development of research staff engaged in collaborative, community-engaged environmental health research.
 - c. Providing a monthly seminar during the academic year for pre- and post-doctoral trainees interested in environmental health equity research.
 - d. Supporting recruitment of trainees and faculty interested in environmental health research and practice.
 - e. Publicizing the research of affiliates through center-led communications via the Swetland Center website and social media.
 - f. Providing opportunities to highlight the research of its affiliates through center-led seminars, professional development, and community events.
 - g. Fostering interdisciplinary research and networking opportunities related to environmental health equity.
3. Affiliate appointments are unpaid appointments, are not tenured, do not serve a probationary period leading toward tenure, and do not participate in the university's benefits program.
 4. Affiliate faculty status may be terminated at any time by the Affiliate or the Mary Ann Swetland Center for Environmental Health.
 5. A condition of this appointment is that the Affiliate title and affiliation with the Mary Ann Swetland Center for Environmental Health may not be used while consulting, serving as expert witness in trials, or in policy discussions.

 {Name}
 Department Chair

Signature
 Date _____

 {Name}
 Affiliate Faculty

Signature
 Date _____

Required Materials for Submission:

_____ Signed Affiliation Agreement

_____ Current CV

_____ Brief summary of your research interests related to environmental health (inclusive of social, built, physical, and natural environments)

_____ Picture to be posted on the Swetland Center website